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## Public Meetings to Discuss Flooding in Scottsdale, Paradise Valley, Tempe

The Flood Control District of Maricopa County (FCD) will hold two public meetings to inform the public of potential flooding areas in Scottsdale, north Tempe, and Paradise Valley. The input received from residents who attend will help FCD and city officials prepare a drainage plan to provide potential solutions for the flood-prone areas identified through the study.

The study, called the Lower Indian Bend Wash Area Drainage Master Study/Plan (LIBW ADMS/P) covers 27 square miles bound by Shea Boulevard to the north, Indian Bend Wash to the east, Salt River to the south, and roughly-56<sup>th</sup> street alignment to the west.

LIBW ADMS/P is a regional drainage study that identifies potential flood hazards and potential drainage solutions for problems in the study area. In 2013, the first public meetings were held to learn more about flooding problems in the area. Last fall, a proposed revision to the Arizona Canal floodplain between Chaparral and Indian Bend roads was proposed and presented to affected residents. While the floodplain delineation maps will be available for review at the meetings, there are no new updates to be shared at this time.

Residents living in these areas are invited to attend one of two open house meetings where representatives from the FCD and city officials will be available to answer questions about the study process.

## **Meeting Information:**

Wednesday August 24, 2016 6:00PM – 7:30PM Paradise Valley Town Hall, (480) 348-3610 6401 E. Lincoln Dr., Scottsdale, AZ 85253

Thursday August 25, 2016 6:00PM – 7:30PM Granite Reef Senior Center 1700 N. Granite Reef Rd., Scottsdale, AZ 85257

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